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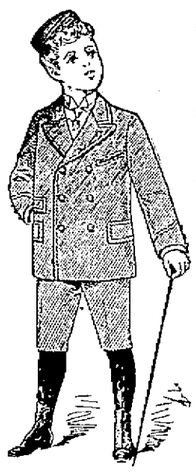

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MYSTERIOUS.

A Lexow Committee Witness' Throat Cut.

George Appo, the Notorious Green-Goods Man, the Victim.

Suspicion Rests on Saloonkeeper Michael J. Reardon—Appo, However, Denies that Reardon Cut Him, But Can Not Explain the Cutting.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—George Appo, notorious as a green goods man and witness before the Lexow committee in the police investigations, lies in the Chambers street hospital with his throat cut.

Suspicion rests on Saloonkeeper Michael J. Reardon, but many persons in the vicinity of Barclay and West streets believe that Appo cut his own throat. The cutting occurred in a saloon at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, and Reardon, who was with Appo, says the fellow was crazy drunk, took out a knife and jabbed it into his own throat.

Attorney Goff, of the Lexow committee, says he saw Appo a few minutes before the cutting, and that the young man was then sober, and had been sent by him to serve some subpoenas. Mr. Goff believes that Appo was assaulted by some person or persons who wished to put him out of the way.

Appo was raving when taken to the hospital and had to be placed in a straight jacket. He denied that Reardon cut him, but has not been able to explain the cutting.

Threshing Machine Goes Through a Bridge.

MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 29.—A traction engine, threshing machine and clover huller, owned by William Rader and son Emerson, went through a bridge south of Muncie, in Henry county. The bridge and machines piled up in a demolished mass in the creek below and are completely ruined, causing a loss of $4,000. The bridge was a new one, and had been accepted by the county commissioners just three hours previous to the accident. Emerson Rader and a hired man, who were operating the engine, jumped and saved their lives.

Young Virginian Kills Himself.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—C. B. Plummer, aged 30, committed suicide Friday afternoon by shooting himself through the head in his room in the St. James hotel. Plummer was western agent of a large cotton mill in the east, and his home was Petersburg, Va. He was a drinker and lost his position through dissipation, which is ascribed as the cause of his suicide.

Czar's Condition Serious.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—Prof. Leyden the eminent physician, of Berlin, has been summoned from that city to Spalaand, and will arrive there in the early part of next week. The doctors attending the Czar fear that his majesty's journey to the Crimea must be postponed, as they regard his condition as very serious. His breathing is very painful.

Whisky Tax Decision.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—A decision that whisky exported from the United States under the McKinley tariff and imported under the same law, placed in bonded warehouse, but not withdrawn until after the tariff act took effect, will have to pay duty at the new rate of $1.10 per gallon will be announced from the treasury Saturday.

Hard Fight Near Springfield, Ill.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 29.—A desperate prize fight occurred twenty miles from Springfield, early Friday morning, between James alias "Kid" Bain, of Lancaster, Pa., and John alias "Dummy" Rowan, claiming to hail from St. Louis, for $500, a side. Rowan won in the twenty-third round. Both men were badly punished.

Checks for Bondholders.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Checks to the number of 26,832, aggregating $4,895,059.50 quarterly interest on the United States registered 4 per cent. consols of 1907, were mailed to bondholders Friday morning from the treasury department.

Mrs. Peary Denies It.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—Mrs. Peary, the wife of the Arctic explorer, denies emphatically the stories of some of the members of her husband's party upon their alleged treatment, principally that they were almost starved.

Walter Boone Not Guilty.

ROANOKE, Va., Sept. 29.—The jury in the case of Walter S. Boone, on trial for murder, brought in a verdict of not guilty. Boone was indicted for participating in the riot of last September in which nine citizens lost their lives.

Mayor Bemis Acquitted.

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 29.—Mayor Geo. P. Bemis was acquitted Friday afternoon of the charge of malfeasance and misfeasance in office, brought by two members of the city council.

Insane Man From Chicago.

VALPARAISO, Ind., Sept. 29.—John Downing, a violently insane man of Chicago, was captured at the depot here. He made a desperate attempt to stab a deputy sheriff.

Iron Workers' Wages Reduced.

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Pennsylvania Iron Co. posted a notice of reduction of puddlers' wages from $3 to $2.75 a ton. Other employes are reduced 8 per cent.

Makes Another Reduction.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 29.—The Carnegie Co. proposes to readjust the wages of its 5,000 employes at the Edgar Thomson steel works. This, of course, means a reduction.

Granted a Divorce.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Schuyler Hamilton, jr., one of Newport's society leaders, was Friday granted a divorce on the ground of nonsupport.

THE STORM.

Communication with South Florida All Right.

Reports Are of Great Destruction But No Loss of Life.

The Loss at Tampa Estimated at $50,000, Among the Buildings Wrecked Being the "Principe de Gales" Cigar Factory—Big Loss at St. Augustine.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 29.—Communication with south Florida is being restored, and reports are pouring in relative to the damage done by the West Indian cyclone which raged in the state Tuesday and Wednesday. The dispatches all tell the same story of houses wrecked and crops destroyed, but no loss of life is reported.

A dispatch from Tampa Friday, which is the first information received from that place since Tuesday, says several large cigar factories were wrecked. The large three-story brick factory of Seidenberg & Co. was destroyed. The factory of C. A. Johns was demolished, as were also the factories of Ybor & Manaen, Theodore Prezne & O'Hallaren. The First Presbyterian church and the palatial Tampa Bay hotel were badly damaged. Several smaller structures were also demolished. The total loss on buildings at Tampa is estimated at $50,000.

Friday advices were received from St. Augustine, which has been cut off since Tuesday. These advices were brought by Mrs. Anna M. Marcotte, the Times-Union's St. Augustine reporter, who made the trip on a handcar. Mrs. Marcotte gave a graphic account of the condition of things at St. Augustine. No lives were lost, but several houses were wrecked, and the loss will run into the thousands.

Nearly all the windows of the city were blown in and the houses flooded with water. The Ponce de Leon hotel was damaged in this way. The loss on the hotel furniture is heavy. At St. Augustine the waves dashed over the sea walls and made rivers of the streets. Many wharves were blown away.

Between Jacksonville and St. Augustine not a telegraph pole was left standing.

The damage to the orange growers is incalculable. In the large groves the ground is completely covered with green oranges. The loss will be fully 20 per cent.

Every effort is being made to hear from Titusville, Jupiter and Key West, which are supposed to have been in the storm's center.

Dispatches Friday night indicate that the storm was as severe in the interior of the state as on the coast. It is safe to say that the storm has cost Florida more than $1,000,000, but no lives have been lost, unless at Key West, Titusville, Jupiter and other east coast points.

Five Arrests for Train Wrecking.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 29.—Additional arrests were made Friday for the wrecking of the fast New York express, on the Big Four, near this city, on the night of July 13, resulting in the killing of Engineer Mockrman and Fireman Fleck. As a result of recent disclosures to the grand jury, five prisoners are behind the bars charged with the crime. They are Charles Miller, W. Tully and Fred Eppert, who were arrested Friday in the Clay county coal regions; George Roberts, who was arrested at Brazil, and Ed Holloway, who confessed a week or two after the crime, and has been in jail ever since. other arrests are to follow. The authorities have just been put in possession of facts which will, they say, bring to justice the whole party.

Games Played Friday.

*Cincinnati	8	*Cleveland	8
New York	9	Philadelphia	6
*Pittsburgh	15		
Boston	9		

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	88	38	126	.696
New York	88	43	131	.672
Boston	82	49	131	.620
Philadelphia	72	57	129	.558
Brooklyn	68	60	128	.532
Cleveland	67	61	128	.523
Pittsburgh	65	64	129	.504
Chicago	56	74	130	.431
Cincinnati	55	76	131	.419
St. Louis	53	76	129	.409
Washington	45	84	129	.349
Louisville	35	92	127	.315

To Notify Senator Hill.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Charles R. Defreest, secretary of the democratic state convention, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the convention Friday appointed the following committee to inform democratic candidates of their nomination: Major James W. Hinckley, chairman of the democratic state committee, with Bourke Cockran, James D. Bell, chairman of the Kings county regular organization; Senator Amasa J. Parker, of Albany, and Ex-State Senator Charles P. McClelland, of Westchester.

A Fight in Conference.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 29.—Rev. Sabin Halsey, the best known Methodist preacher in Wisconsin, and who has married scores of eloping Chicago couples, had a sensational quarrel with Rev. A. L. Benjamin, of Oshkosh, at the Wisconsin Methodist conference at Ft. Howard Friday morning. Halsey accused Benjamin of working in a sneaking way against Bishop Fowler and himself. Benjamin gave Halsey the lie, and reverend brothers stepping in alone prevented a contest in prize ring style.

Guilty of Offering a Bribe.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 29.—Richard Armstrong, an ex-councilman and well-known citizen of Allegheny City, was found guilty in the criminal court, Friday afternoon, on the charge of offering a bribe of $300 to John Born, a councilman in Allegheny, to vote for a civil engineer for the new Allegheny City water works. The jury recommended Armstrong to the mercy of the court.

VICTIM OF POISON.

Walter E. Hunt, One of Five Persons Affected by Coffee, Dies.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 29.—One week ago five persons who ate breakfast at the home of Mrs. Osborne, in this this city, were taken violently ill. It was caused by the contents of the coffee pot. Doctors said it was arsenic poisoning, possibly rough on rats. Saturday Walter E. Hunt, one of the victims, died. The others are recovering. Hunt was a Nashville man, who had separated from his wife. Examination of the contents of the coffee pot shows that it contained arsenic. It has developed that on the morning of the poisoning Mrs. Osborne rose early to attend to some housework, opened the doors of the house and then retired again for awhile. The only possible explanation of the poisoning is that some one entered the house after Mrs. Osborne had opened the door.

Must Bid Anew.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The secretary of the treasury has rejected all of the bids recently received for the erection of a post office building at Meridian, Miss. This action was made necessary by the action of congress at its last session directing the secretary to modify the plans for the proposed building so as to provide accommodations for the United States district court as well as those for the post office.

Officer and Footpad Shoot Each Other.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Officer Andrew Hansworth, of the Sheffield Avenue police station, was mortally wounded by a shot in the groin from the revolver of a footpad whom he was trying to arrest early Friday morning near the corner of Ashland avenue and Dunning street. The footpad was shot in the back by the officer and was taken to the Alexander Brothers' hospital, where his condition was considered critical.

Missouri Gamblers Must Quit.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 29.—Every gambling house in the city has been closed by order of the board of police commissioners, acting on a suggestion made by Gov. Stone. It is given out officially that the gambling houses will not be allowed to run in the city again. It is stated that the governor has determined to close up every gambling house in the state.

Endeavors Will Meet in Boston.

BOSTON, Sept. 29.—General Secretary Baer, of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, announced Friday night that the international convention to 1895 would be held in Boston instead of San Francisco. This change has been made on account of the long delay of western railroad managers in announcing a decision in regard to special rates to the Pacific coast.

Married at the Depot.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 29.—R. J. Edelen, of Springfield, Ky., and Miss Daisy Rogers, of Nashville, were married in the ladies' waiting room of the Union depot at the unseemly hour of 4 o'clock Friday morning. Miss Rogers' parents bitterly opposed the marriage on account of a difference of religious creed.

Lucania Lowers Her Record.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Cunard Line steamship Lucania arrived here Friday, and for the third time in 60 days she has lowered the record. She has succeeded in making a voyage from Queenstown to New York in five days, seven hours and forty-eight minutes, beating her best previous voyages, both east and west, by 50 minutes.

Love-Sick Boy Kills Himself.

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 29.—Friday evening Arthur Rixon, 17 years old, despondent over a love affair, committed suicide by sitting down on the Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling railroad track in front of an approaching train. His head was cut off. He had told companions of his intention, but they gave it no attention.

Will Probably Resume.

CAMDEN, N. J., Sept. 29.—The woolen mills of A. Priestly & Co., and the Highland Woolen mills, of this place, which have closed down because of trouble with employes over the matter of wages, will probably resume operations within the next few weeks. It is thought the men will consent to a lower rate of wages.

Oldest Man Dead.

KEERVILLE, Tex., Sept. 29.—A Mexican named Modericos died at Ingram, near this city, Friday. His relatives and intimate friends assert most positively that he was 150 years old. He had been married five times, marrying his first wife 100 years ago. He had three grown sons in the war of 1812.

British Embassy Affairs.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, who is now in London, will return here November 15. Since the ambassador's family went to England last spring, the youngest daughter has formally entered society by attending the queen's first drawing-room.

Pine Land Discrepancies.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—A complete re-examination of the pine lands of the Chippewa reservation in Minnesota is now being conducted by the interior department, and the returns received show many discrepancies which occurred in the first examination.

Operations in Africa.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—A dispatch from Delagoa bay says that the governor at the head of three hundred white and six thousand native allies will take the field against the Kafirs surrounding Lourenzo Marquesi.

New Constitution Adopted.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 29.—The constitutional convention has adopted the new constitution as reported from the committee of the whole. The vote was 95 ayes and 45 nayes, two republican members voting with the minority.

A Legacy for Lord "Randy."

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Miss Raine, an eccentric lady who died recently, has left as a legacy to Lord Randolph Churchill her mansion and estate in Oxfordshire, "in recognition of his commanding political genius."

JAP VICTORY.

They Enter the Chinese Province of Manchuria.

A Fight Near the Capital Ends in Favor of the Invaders.

They Establish Themselves in the Position Previously Occupied by the Chinese—Intimations of an Understanding Between Russia and China.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—A dispatch from Shanghai says it is reported there that the Japanese have succeed in entering the Chinese province of Manchuria, and that they are advancing upon the capital, Moukden. It is also said that fighting has also taken place between the invaders and the Chinese at a town between that city and the frontier. The engagement is said to have ended in a decisive victory for the Japanese, who, it is added, established themselves in the position previously occupied by the Chinese troops. No details of this reported battle are given, and the Chinese at Shanghai discredit the report.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—A dispatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph Co., says its correspondent there learns, on the best authority, that in July last a provisional agreement was effected between Russia and China in regard to the future action of Russia in the Pamirs. It is agreed by the two countries that the forces of neither power should pass the Sarrikul range. This agreement re-establishes friendly relations between Russia and China and has an important bearing upon the fortunes of China in the present struggle. Russia, however, the dispatch adds, is not likely to maintain a friendly attitude towards China without substantial returns.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.

A Central American President's Life Jeopardized—Five Shots Fired.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Herald's Panama dispatch says: News has been received from Costa Rica of an attempt to assassinate President Iglesias. During the military review in San Jose, an anarchist, Michinor Araya, fired five shots at the president. Iglesias escaped on horseback. Araya was arrested and would have been killed by the police if the crowd had not interfered. His accomplices, Juan B. Jimenez Francisco Aguirrea, Jose Seledon, Andre Cerpedes and 20 others, were also arrested. Dynamite was found in the house where Jimenez lived. There were also seized many documents which give evidence of a widespread conspiracy. Aguirrea was formerly a trusted aid-de-camp on the staff of President Rodriquez.

Caught in the Cogs.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Sept. 29.—Geo. Siegel, a watchman at Gathright's flour mill, located on the falls, met with a horrible accident Friday morning while going his rounds. Siegel, in some manner, was caught in an endless chain, which encircled a fly wheel. He was drawn with fearful rapidity into a cog, resulting in his right arm being torn completely from the socket and his breast being terribly lacerated. He was held fast between the cogs for several minutes before he was extricated. He is suffering intensely from his wounds and can not recover. It was only a few days ago that Siegel's policy of $3,000 lapsed in the Knights of Honor.

Labor Leaders' Congress.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—The civic federation of this city has decided to hold in Chicago, November 13 and 14, a congress of labor leaders, thinkers, manufacturers, representative employers and students of the social question as related to the laboring field. Chauncey M. Depew and Terrence V. Powderly are expected to address a public meeting at the time of the congress. Among the other speakers will be Hon. D. J. Ryan, of Ohio; Congressman Springer, of Illinois; J. D. Weeks, of Pittsburgh, Archbishop Ireland, Samuel Gompers, F. K. Sargent, P. M. Arthur, Martin Fox and P. J. McGuire.

New Tennessee Railroad.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 29.—The work of completing the Tennessee Central railroad from Crossville, Tenn., to Knoxville has been let to a New York construction company. The completion of the road will make a direct line from Nashville to Knoxville, saving more than one hundred miles of travel between the two cities, and will open up to commerce a fine section of farming and mineral land in East Tennessee. The location of the line will be finished by October 10, and the work of construction will begin at once. It is expected to have through trains running in twelve months.

Chicago Firemen Suffocated.

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—One firemen dead and two others rendered unconscious by smoke was the result of a fire in a restaurant at No. 254 State street. The dead: James Russell, pipeman on Engine company No. 10, suffocated by smoke; leaves a widow and several small children. Overcome by smoke: John Hannon, captain of Engine company No. 13; Joseph Terrell, pipeman on Engine company No. 10. Both will recover. The property loss is small.

Bridge Destroyed by Firebugs.

IOWA FALLS, Ia., Sept. 29.—The 600 foot Illinois Central railroad bridge across the Iowa river at this point burned about 3 o'clock Friday morning. The bridge was built in 1868 and was 75 feet high. It will interrupt freight and passenger traffic of the road for a couple of weeks. The origin of the fire is thought to be incendiary.

Dining With Royalty.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 29.—Andrew D. White, the United States minister to Russia, and Mrs. White, had an audience Friday with King Christian. Mr. and Mrs. White subsequently dined with his majesty. The United States minister Risley was present.

STILLWATER ON FIRE.

A Big Blaze Threatening the Penitentiary and Aid From St. Paul Requested.

STILLWATER, Minn., Sept. 29.—The plant of the Stillwater Manufacturing Co. was on fire Friday night, and at midnight the flames were not under control.

The local department is unable to cope with the fire and St. Paul has been asked for aid. The wind is blowing hard from the south and the flames are within a few hundred yards of the state penitentiary buildings, where over five hundred convicts are confined.

At 1:15 Saturday morning the fire was beyond control, and was still spreading. The St. Paul fire department, which had started from that city, had not yet arived.

1:30 a. m.—The fire is now believed to be under control. The buildings of the Minnesota Thresher Co., and the plant of the Street Railway Co. were saved, but the fire destroyed several residences adjacent to the Stillwater Manufacturing Co.'s plant. The loss will amount to about $150,000.

WYLIE'S WHEEL.

Causes Him to Tumble at Night and Abandon His Trip.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 29.—H. H. Wylie, the long-distance bicyclist, who was attempting to break the record between New York and Chicago, was compelled to abandon the ride on reaching Woodville, the result of a number of heavy falls in the darkness the night before. Wylie was on schedule time at Cleveland Thursday morning, and during the last 14 hours had covered 132 miles, a remarkable run. At Oberlin he missed his pacemakers, and rode part of the way in the dark. He arrived at Fremont in an exhausted condition; but after a short rest was able to continue. Wylie made a most plucky and determined fight, and deserves much more than ordinary credit for his ride. His fight against the fierce gale from the northwest, that raged for four days, was a remarkably plucky endeavor, and under ordinary circumstances he should have lowered the record by at least 36 hours.

A Seven-Year-Old Heroine.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Sept. 29.—A seven-year-old girl saved a passenger train on the Chicago & Great Western road, near Dundee. She was seen by the engineer waving her little red apron as a signal. The engineer stopped the train, and the little girl told him the bridge around the curve was burning. The child was on her way to the pasture near her home to drive in the cattle.

Crusade Against Living Pictures.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The latest phase of the New York mission of reform which has made so many parched throats in this city for the last few nights, is a crusade led by Mrs. E. D. Murden, superintendent of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union against the "Living Picture" performances. The crusade will be made general all over the country.

Convict Patents a Telephone.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—Charles Kline, No. 20,604 in the prison books, and assistant to Superintendent Green, of the gas works, has projected a new telephone, which is in successful operation at the prison, and has applied for letters patent. The telephone is simple in construction, and the articulation is perfect.

Publicly Cowhided.

CORTLAND, Ala., Sept. 29.—Abe Braham, a prominent merchant, was publicly cowhided here Friday by Miss Lucille Doss, daughter of Porter Doss, Sr., proprietor of the Doss hotel. It is said that Braham made a disparaging remark about Miss Doss which reached her ears.

No Cause Known.

WEST MILTON, O., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Amanda Minnick, wife of Ira Minnick, living four miles west of here, committed suicide by cutting her throat. She was a highly respected lady, and a daughter of Samuel Wenger, of this place. She was thirty-two years old. No cause known for the rash act.

Skunk Farm a Nuisance.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—The state board of health will be called upon by the citizens of the vicinity of Prairie Depot to regulate or wipe out the prosperous industry of raising skunks. An enterprising individual at Prairie has about 5,000 corralled, and the stench is said to be something horrible.

Austrian Ministers Exchanged.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Chevalier De Tavera, the Austrian minister to this country, has been assigned by his government as minister to Brazil, and the present Austrian minister to Brazil has been assigned to take the chevalier's place in this country.

Quiet in Union County Tax Regions.

MORGANFIELD, Ky., Sept. 29.—Quiet reigns in the tax precincts. It is not known when Blackwell will go into the district, if at all. He says he will shoot no man, except in self-defense. Everything is as quiet as usual, and it is hoped no trouble will occur.

Double Execution in Texas.

PARIS, Tex., Sept. 29.—Eugene Fulks and Tom Moore were hanged here Friday for murders committed in the Indian territory. Both refused ministerial consolation on the gallows and Fulks died with an oath on his lips.

Lady Fatally Burned.

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 29.—While Mrs. Charles Cary was making apple butter over an open fire her clothing became ignited, and before assistance could reach her she was burned almost to a crisp. She died in great agony.

Double Fatality.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 29.—E. T. Simms and son Charles, who live at Brighton, met with a runaway accident Friday in which Charles was killed and his father fatally injured.

Killed by Slate.

COALTON, O., Sept. 29.—Jacob Wisecup, a miner, aged 28, married, was instantly killed by a fall of slate Friday while at work in the Emma mine.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

State Ticket.

Secretary of State,
MILTON J. TURNER,
of Guernsey.

Judge of Supreme Court,
JAMES D. ERMISTON,
of Hamilton.

Board of Public Works,
HARRY E. KEFFER,
of Tuscarawas.

Commissioner of Common Schools,
J. A. LEECH,
of Franklin.

County Ticket.

Sheriff,
C. A. COLE.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the Tenth Congressional District will meet in mass convention in this city on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4TH,

At noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress

BUSINESS is gradually but surely reviving. Mills are starting up, and there is new life to trade.

THE Democratic congressional convention for the Tenth district will be held in this city Thursday, Oct. 4th.

THE Morton club has gone into a state of inocuous desuetude. Its debts are about all that is left of its former glory and its present decay.

INSTEAD of falling 11 cents wool has risen since the Wilson bill passed. It is from 2 to 4 cents higher than the lowest point in McKinleyism.

GIVE your work to the men who help to keep our city going. Stand by your own friends. Send your laundry to the people who spend their money in Portsmouth.

THE Democrats of Nebraska are for silver with an emphasis, and for Congressman Bryan for U. S. senator, and the indications are that the latter will get there.

JAPAN is whipping China on land and water, capturing her armies and sinking her navy. The Mikes were always known as fighters and the Mike-ado is no exception.

WHY doesn't the water works pay a revenue to the city? Will some intelligent tax-payer answer? Will some of the officials who have the work in charge please explain?

OUR dear friends who proclaimed the bound in price sugar would take if the Wilson bill passed are very mum just now, as sugar is almost a cent cheaper than it was one year ago.

THE new system of selecting juries is working admirably. We are getting the very best class of citizens on the juries instead of the old hangers on and worn-out professionals

DAVID BENNETT HILL never failed to carry New York, and he will plant the victorious flag on the battlements next November. In campaign with Hill old man Morton is a back number.

PATRONIZE the home laundries. Keep your money here. The TIMES employes spent every cent in Portsmouth, and so ought every man who receives employment from Portsmouth institutions.

THE TIMES continues to grow in the appreciation of the public, and our large and handsome industrial edition will prove to our business men and others that we are pushing Portsmouth interests.

SILVER will be the issue in the next contest, and the West and South will join hands and the Republican party will land lower down in the slough of despond than did the old Federalists, the Know Nothings or the Whigs.

SUBSCRIBE TO THE CAR SHOP FUND.

Our people should remember that the option of the Kinney tract of land expires next month. It is the last option that can be secured at the price named. Those who have already subscribed to the car shop enterprise have subscribed liberally, and their public spirit should incite others to follow their example and lead to success. Do not delay, and do not wait to be asked to subscribe. There are scores of persons who are just as able to give $100 each as those who have already given, many of them more able. They should not let this opportunity pass. If this valuable tract of land is purchased Portsmouth will either secure the car shops or our citizens will own a desirable piece of ground, worth much more than they gave for it, to use for some other new manufacturing enterprise or to hold for speculation. Citizens who are able to give but who fail to do so are doing the city and themselves injustice. Hunt up the subscription paper and put down your name for what you can afford to give—and hurry up about it.

WOOL has gone up and sugar has gone down since the repeal of the McKinley act—just the very opposite to the predictions of the protectionists. The new tariff is working out the most charming results.

THE new tariff law makes every manufactured article cheaper, and yet labor is as well paid as before. In the immediate future the people will find clothing, blankets and all articles of domestic economy cheaper than they have been for years, a blessing that every laboring man will recognize and appreciate.

THE big labor strikes began in 1892, under Harrison's administration, before there was any thought of his defeat. The Carnegie-Homestead riot will be readily recalled. These strikes continued through 1893 and 1894, and until the McKinley law was repealed. That measure, which fettered manufactures and commerce, was responsible for the distress of the past year. Now strikes are over, the shackles have been struck from the limbs of industry; cheaper raw materials invite new enterprises, and brighter and better days have dawned.

THE Democratic State conventions throughout the country have passed resolutions denouncing the A. P. A., an oath-bound political organization that is based on religious prejudice. It is noticeable, however, that this un-American organization receives no word of condemnation from the Republican party. It is afraid to antagonize it. The fact is such illiberal and bigoted schemes find their place in that party, and lovers of religious liberty should make a note of it in this instance. A party that is largely controlled by and its nominations dictated by a secret oath-bound organization deserves to be rebuked.

THE Press has no desire to kick up a controversy, but it wants to say, in plain English, that for a paper that makes such loud profession of ultra Republicanism as does the Blade, it is not consistent that its paid employes, its agents, should go about among the people trying to stir up opposition to the Republican candidate for recorder. The Blade has a perfect right to believe that Mr. Sikes should not have been turned down, and if it wants to "harbor" that belief, nobody will object. But we are informed that Mr. Louden Lindsey, who for years has been a Blade agent, goes about talking against Mr. Spencer, and saying that Mr. Dodge, the Populist candidate, should defeat him. In the past week the Press has been asked from various parts of the county if there is any danger of Mr. Spencer's success, which indicates that the underhand opposition, the stabbing-in-the-back methods of rule-or-ruin Republicans, has been widespread. Of course the Blade, with all its employes, cannot injure Jim Spencer, who will not only be handsomely elected, but will make a splendid recorder. But the people should know that some dirty work is being done, and it is only for that reason the Press mentions it.

James Spencer was honestly nominated. The nomination was thrust upon him—he did not ask for nor expect it. If, therefore, there be any hard feeling over Mr. Sikes' defeat, certainly it should not be for Mr. Spencer, who did not ask nor expect the nomination, but upon whom it was thrust.

James Spencer will get there, and if Louden Lindsay or any or any other Blade man tells you he won't, you just tell him he lies.—Press.

The editor of the Press seems a little obtuse. The apparently covert attack on Mr. Spencer is but a part of a well planned scheme to blackmail him. The Blade will support Mr. Spencer and attempt to control him, but they may find him a hard horse to ride, as in the cases of Mr. Tracy and Mr. Milner.

BORROWED MIRTH.

FORTUNE TELLER—"Your husband will be rich, handsome and clever." Brown (to fiancee)—"By Jove! wonderful! How did she guess it?"—From Sketch.

DEBUTANTE—"Don't you ever gossip or talk scandal?" Woman Hater—"No, I never discuss women."—N. Y. Journal.

MRS. HALE (just married)—"Maria, we will have eels as a second course for dinner." Maria—"How much ought I to get, ma'am?" "I think twelve yards will be sufficient."—Vogue.

AMATEUR POET—"It was at the time when my fiance jilted me that I discovered my poetic vein and—" Good Friend—"Yes, yes; a misfortune never comes alone."—Fliegende Blatter.

Ada—"Flo was just going down for the third time when Dr. Watson dived off a yacht and caught her." Grace—"And saved her life! Wasn't that wonderful?" Ada—"Yes, for a doctor."—Life.

MISTRESS—"Did you tell the lady I was out?" Ward—"Yes, ma'am." Mistress—"Did she seem to have any doubts about it?" Ward—"No, ma'am. She said she knew you wasn't."—Harlem Life.

"BUT what is this new story like?" "Like? Never was anything like it. That's the reason it's so delightfully absurd, don't you know. There isn't a natural character or a probable situation in it. Oh, you must read it."—Boston Transcript.

Look at Nye's soap window.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

"ROCK OF AGES."

"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee!"
Sang the lady, soft and low,
And the melancholy flow
Of her voice so sweet and clear,
Rose upon the evening air
With that sweet and solemn prayer.
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee!"

Yet she sang, as oft she had,
When her thoughtless heart was glad;
Sang because she felt alone—
Sang because her soul had grown
Weary with the tedious day—
Sang to while the hours away:
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee!"

Where the trembling starlight falls
On her mansion's stately walls;
On the chill and echoing street
Where the lights and shadows meet—
There the lady's voice was heard,
As the breath of Night was stirred
With that music, floating free:
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me."

Wandering, homeless, through the night,
Praying for the morning light—
Pale and haggard, wan and weak,
With the death-hue on her cheek,
Went a woman—one whose life,
Had been wrecked in sin and strife;
One of whom, in one for land
Wrote the Master on the sand!
And her soul, by Sorrow wrung,
Heard the lady as she sang:
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee!"

On the marble steps she knelt,
And her soul that instant felt
Mercy's healing touch as there,
Quivering, moved her lips in prayer!
And the God she had forgot
Smiled upon her lonely lot—
Heard her as she murmured oft,
With an accent sweet and soft:
"Rock of Ages, cleft for me,
Let me hide myself in thee!"

Little knew the lady fair,
As she sang so sweetly there,
That her voice had reached a soul
Which had lived in sin's control!
Little knew, when she was done,
That a lost and erring one
Heard her as she breathed that strain
And returned to God again!

—Frank L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution

UNHAPPY PEOPLE.

A Discontented Lot Who Try To Impede the Progress Made by Others.

In the improved definitions of our times we speak of "pessimists" rather than grumblers. It is a term that takes better with ears polite and is much more grateful to those who complain of everything that is and prophesy only evil of all that will be. A man who would be indignant at being called a "grumbler" will accept without disfavor the name of pessimist. Nevertheless, most pessimists, are, after all, only chronic grumblers.

Pessimists, as they prefer to be called, are grumblers, are a very ancient stock. They, probably, were evoluted with the beginning of the human race, and they have never failed of succession through all its generations. Pharoh had his plagues, dire and dreadful; but if Moses escaped them in Egypt, he found enough plagues after he left to weary his spirit. The people were perpetually "murmuring." In other words, they were always grumbling and pessimistic in spirit. Down through the ages the same discontent, complaining, mouning spirit has shown itself. David had to combat it and other ancient worthies suffered frequent annoyance from it. Discontent and despair constantly weakened the Lord's hosts. Under the New Testament dispensation there have always been people with a keen vision for discouragement and possessed of a ceaseless disposition to complain. Our Lord had to rebuke men for their little faith. Paul has to write: "Do all things without murmurings or questionings," and James tells us of "murmurers and complainers."

The bane of many households is found in grumblers—forever murmuring over what they have and unhappy for what they have not. But it is the grumblers, murmurers, and pessimists in the churches that especially awaken our aversion and call for rebuke. There are people whose vocation seems to be to complain of their fellow-members. They can always find a lack of brotherly or sisterly love. Everyone around is cold and distant. The pride and self-importance of their fellow-members is a perpetual eyesore to them. There are others whose function of grumbling is bemoaning the inconsistencies of their fellow-members. In their keen perception of the defects of their brethren they find the best evidence of their own religion. Other grumblers, especially if a contribution is asked of them, expect a church to be carried on without expense, and any application for money is a grievous infliction. Some find a constant annoyance in any forward movement by their brethren. They are forever crying out: "Go slow!" and would be better pleased if they could put the brakes on all progress.

Now, it need hardly be said that the grumbler and pessimist sees everything with regard to the church as on the down-grade, and rapidly tending to destruction. The pastor is constantly criticised and censured. His prayers are stereotyped and cold. His sermons never feed his hearers. He visits too little. He shows favoritism among his people. Just now, he is blamed for taking a vacation, and direful prophecies are uttered as to the consequences of his leaving his church and home. Some people are naturally splenetic. Their lives are one prolonged grumble. With them the disposition has been cherished when it might have been repressed. Yet, if such would carefully investigate themselves, they would be convicted of their sin and folly. Such Christians only need to see themselves as they truly are to see things very differently. If we will only look for the best in all with whom we meet, exercise charity and large-heartedness, we shall find far less reason for grumbling and pessimistic railing.—Christian Inquirer.

Many a gifted preacher can find time to read a new book every week who couldn't find the parable of the prodigal son without a concordance.

A Protest.

"Well," said Plodding Pete, "I certainly did work that young feller on the bicycle for some good smokin' tobacker."

"Ye done what?" said Moonlerin' Mike.

"I worked 'im."

"There's the pernicious influence of slang. It degrades our sensibilities an' makes us call noble actions by names that drags 'em down ter the commonplace level. Pete, whatever ole Nez do, stop usin' slang!"—Washington Star.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

International Lesson for September 30, 1894—Review for Third Quarter.

[Specially arranged from Peloubet's notes.]

SCRIPTURE.—John 1:14-18; 3:13-16; Heb. 1:1-13.

GOLDEN TEXT.—The Kingdom of God is at hand; repent ye, and believe the Gospel.—Mark 1:15.

THE LIFE OF CHRIST.

We need first, by means of a chart, to implant in our memory a general view of the whole life of Christ. With a bird's-eye view of the whole, each gem of truth is in its true setting, each color shines in harmony, and the design brings new beauties and new lessons.

BIRTH.	YOUTH.	THE PREPARATION.	I. THE YEAR OF REDEMPTION.	II. THE YEAR OF DEVELOPMENT.	III. THE YEAR OF WORKING & TEACHING.
Dec. 5, B. C. 4. At birth—Jehovah-Jireh.	B. C. 4 to A. D. 26. 30 years at Nazareth. First visit to temple. Jesus 12 years old.	Jan. A. D. 25. John's Preaching. Baptism. Temptation.	A. D. 27. Judea. First disciples. First miracle. First Passover. First discourse. First tour.	A. D. 28. Galilee. Call of first disciples. Second tour. Teaching by Parables.	A. D. 29. Galilee. Perea. Last journeys. Miracles. Parables. Oppositions. New light. Nearing the end.

THE HISTORICAL REVIEW.

TIME.—Thirty-one years B. C. 4 to A. D. 27 inclusive.

THE LAND.—Palestine: its location on the map of the world; its three main divisions. The chief river; the lake; the leading towns; the surrounding countries. Inhabitants, six million.

THE FORERUNNER.—General facts of John the Baptist's life and ministry. The place of his preaching. His relation to the ministry of Jesus.

PROVIDENTIAL PREPARATIONS. — See Lesson I.

SECULAR HISTORY.—Augustus Cæsar, emperor of Rome when Jesus was born; Tiberius, when he entered upon his ministry. Lyman's tables give the population of the Roman empire at the time of Christ as 120,000,000, of which 60,000,000 were slaves, 40,000,000 were tributaries and freedmen, and only 20,000,000 were full citizens, or one sixth of the population. The army numbered 400,000, and the navy 50,000 men. Milman gives the population of the city of Rome, by the census of A. D. 48, at 5,931,000. It was a general time of peace: the Roman empire held sway over most of the known world, thus opening the way by her conquests for the greater conquests of the Gospel. The Roman roads were a highway, and the Roman army a guard for those who carried the Gospel. The Jews were scattered everywhere, taking with them the Bible with its prophecies and religious ritual, which Christ came to fulfill, thus preparing the way for the Gospel.

MATHEMATICAL REVIEW.

Multiply the number of the Gospels ( ) by the age of Jesus when he conversed with the learned men in the temple ( ); divide by number of his temptations in the wilderness ( ); multiply by the age of Jesus when he began his ministry ( ); divide by the number of miles between Jerusalem and Bethlehem ( ); add the hour at which John's disciples first went to see Jesus ( ); add the hour at which Jesus sat by Jacob's well and conversed with the Samaritan women ( ); multiply by the number of John's disciples who first went to talk with Jesus ( ); add the number of the apostles ( ), and the result will be the number of cities and towns in Galilee with more than fifteen thousand inhabitants at the time of Christ, according to Josephus.

FIRESIDE TRAVELS.

In "Tom Brown at Oxford," the best scholar is represented as studying his Greek history by means of a map and pins with large heads made of differently-colored sealing-wax. The red-headed pin represented one army, the black another. And as the text described the movements of the armies, the pins were moved to the places designated on the map. During the late war several of us ministers did the same thing with the various armies. When news came of any change we marked it with the pins. This plan gives great vividness to the history and assists the memory. Suppose now that we have a large map on the wall. Prepare a pin with a large sealing-wax head to represent Jesus. Smaller pins can represent the disciples and John. Take the initial letters of the principal places, printed on cardboard, so as to be seen across the room, and with a pin fasten them in their proper places on the map as fast as the journey is made. Some scholar can tell where the next movement is to be made, and all the events or incidents clustering around each place can be noted or described. Pins with diers of one color may represent miracles; another color denotes parables. Thus, in a brief time, we may travel over Palestine with Jesus and become familiar with His life.

HELPS FOR OUR OWN LIVES.

The coming of the Son of God to save the world: His nature; why He came.

Jesus as a boy, growing, improving, beloved: in the temple, in His home.

Providence, as seen in the life of Jesus.

How Jesus was prepared for His work. Hard work; small beginnings; slow progress, but faithful perseverance.

Things to imitate in those who were with Jesus.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kanier, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had had colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

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The above are the names in full of all the members of said partnership, and their places of residence.

Signed and acknowledged to by us, this 10th day of September, 1894.

H. V. RUSSELL,
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THE STAGE.

Happenings in Front and Behind the Footlights.

A Column of Terse Notes of Interest to Theatre Lovers.

Some Forecasts of the Treats in Store for Patrons of the Grand—Notes and Anecdotes About Popular Plays and Favorite Players.

The following is this season's roster for the Limited Mail: Elmer E. Vance, manager; W. C. Holden, H. A. Burkhardt, E. H. Stephens, W. H. Murphy, Will Spalding, B. Johnson, J. Dalton, T. Mathews, C. Winters, Louise Osborne, Rachel Barr, Winifred Evelette and Beatrice Vance.

THE KID COMPANY.

Manager Frank E. Morse says he has engaged some of the best available talent for the Kid company this season. Mr. Hayes, of the company, went over the East last week to see how business was and to look over the circuit booked. He reports the outlook as very bright. He returned last Wednesday for rehearsals, which are now under way. Joe Downs has joined the company to play the tough.

A WILD DUCK.

A Wild Duck, Joseph M. Gaites' latest farce-comedy, tells the story of one Jack Lersurely, a sporting and spendthrift youth, who, feeling the need of money, enlists his chum, Willie Stopper, an attorney in name only, to assist him in frightening his uncle. The young man's aim is to make the old one believe that a pretty typewriter, a horsey young woman, and an antiquated housekeeper have all brought suits against him for breach of promise. To prevent them from getting anything, the uncle assigns his property to his nephew, who, when he gets control, cuts off the old gentleman with an occasional dime, while he himself lavishly spends the cash. He falls in love with a French actress, whom he wins, and is so fortunate in betting on an international yacht race that he returns his uncle's property and still has enough left for himself. Will be here in the near future.

WHO WANTS J. D.?

Marie Burroughs recently received the following unique application for the position of advance agent from Macon, Ala.:

MIS MARIE BURROOGHS:—I herd you are going to star next year, I would lik to get the job of advance agent of your show troup, if you show our town and have a brass band an parade you sur of a big house. There was a Uncle Tom's Cabin troup here last week and did 67 dollars only charge 10, 20, 50 cents here them are the prices. I enclos you a sample of my press writtings.

"Marie Burroughs is the greatest show actress that has been discovered in ages if you see her you don't want to see any other troupe—of all the stars she is brighter than all the other little stars that shin in the heavens. Sarah Bernhard, Maeduse the Italian's actress and Fany Rice ain't in the push with her. Remember there is only one troupe of this trade mark and beware of imitations." J. D.

Miss Burroughs has not as yet engaged the gentleman

ABOUT CHAS. LODER.

Charles A. Loder, the eccentric German comedian, and his excellent company of 16 ladies and gentlemen in the merry creation of "Oh! What a Night!" described as the laughing cyclone, has struck this state, entering from a triumphant tour in the East. The comedy for this, its last tour, has been rewritten by Mr. Fred S. Gibbs, and now affords unlimited opportunities for the numerous high-class specialties which are introduced by the members. Patrons and lovers of farce comedy will be given a rare treat in "Oh! What a Night!"

The following funny letter was received by Mr. Charles Loder, after playing in a Pennsylvania city:

READING, VAT IS IN PENNSYLVANIA, BY BERRS COUNTY,
Forte of July, 189ty-too

MISTER CHARLES A. LODER, DEPUTEE: I see me in der german paper dot you played by der theater mit a man vot his name is Herman Pottgeiser. Dot is min Oncle vat lives by Germany, Schlosseinwarrengen und a nice man I bet you I vas by der theater ven you blayed und I laffed myself so sick I got me Kramps by der Stimick I seened Pottgeiser und I knowed him yust so soon as I reckoleected him only I did not know he was a show neter yet please and tell him his relation wants to see him. I live by der blacksmith shop across der vay from der oder side everybody vat knows me can tell him yust two miles on der thomb side hand of der plank road please Mr. Loder give him my love yet und I am yet alive tell him.

Yours Respectadle,
GOTTLEIB SCHARTZWALLER.

VARIOUS NOTES.

His Nibs and the Baron is the title of a farce-comedy that will go on tour the latter part of this month.

Madame Janauschek and Kate Claxton will play a fall season together in the large Eastern cities, beginning Oct. 15.

Alexander Salvini has adopted a comedy called "The Student of Salamanca" which he will produce this season.

Judging from the list of attractions booked at the Grand this season there ought to be quite a number of theater parties gotten up by our young people.

Alvin Joslin, with Charles L. Davis in title role, which was booked to show at the Grand early in October, has cancelled, owing to an entire change of route.

A one act "dramatic episode" by Herbert Hall Winslow was produced for the first time by Alba Heywood at Cairo, Ill., Sept. 11. It is entitled "Down in Injianny," and scored a success. The piece will be used in front of Edgewold Folks this season.

"Charley's Aunt" has been translated into Greek and is to appear at once on the boards of Athens. The translation was the work by M. Rhangabe, the former Greek minister at Berlin.

Mr. Morgan Gibney, formerly of Gibney, Gordon & Gibney, is this season engaged by Gustave Frohman to play the "old man part" in his Charity Ball Co. which recently showed at the Walnut Street theater, Cincinnati.

THE 81ST O. V. I.

Holds Its Annual Reunion at Galion This Week—Portsmouth People Present.

Dr. P. J. Kline has returned from Galion, O., where he has been for the past few days in attendance at the reunion of the 81st O. V. I. This regiment was organized in the state at large in 1861 and '62, company H. being organized in Adams and Scioto counties, September 1862, by Capt. Wm. C. Henry. Last Wednesday evening a camp fire was held at the Galion city hall, prior to which the members of the regiment present and others paraded through the streets to the stirring music of "Marching Through Georgia," in true military style, according to the Galion Leader. Dr. Kline, of this city, had the pleasant honor of replying to the welcome address of Rev. Persons, of Galion, himself an ex-soldier, the response being in the Doctor's happiest vein. The Galion Leader says of the reponse:

"Comrade Kline then made a very eloquent speech in response to the address of Rev. Persons. It was full of interesting incidents of the war, some of them being very comical. He remarked that a man chages every seven years. 'If that's the case,' said he, 'we have all been new men four times since the war.'"

The next anntal reunion of the regiment will be held in Cincinnati.

FRIDAY NIGHT CLUB.

Another Addition to Portsmouth's List of Social Organizations, Embracing About Twenty-Five Young People.

Another "club" has been added to the extensive list of Portsmouth's social organizations. The very young people of the assembly, some high school pupils, others the recent graduates have formed themselves into a "Friday Night Club," with twenty-five members. They will meet every two weeks. Last evening they met to organize at the home of Miss Pauline Grimes, and for the first social meeting have been invited to this same place next Friday evening. This is a jolly crowd of young folks, and they anticipate some delightful evenings in their club.

DISLIKE THE TELEGRAPH.

The Chinese Regard It as an Instrument of Evil.

Two American bicyclers, Allen and Sachtleben, tell in the Century of their meeting with a Chinaman in the heart of the flowery kingdom who electrified them by addressing them in the purest English. "He was one of that party of mandarins' sons which had been sent over to our country some years ago, as an experiment by the Chinese government, to receive a thorough American training. We cannot here give the history of that experiment, as Mr. Woo related it—how they were subsequently accused of cutting off their queues and becoming denationalized, how, in consequence, they were recalled to their native land, and degraded rather than elevated, both by the people and the government, because they were foreign in their sentiments and habits; and how, at last, they gradually began to force recognition through the power of merit alone. He had now been sent out by the government to engineer the extension of the telegraph line from Su-chou to Urumtsi, for it was feared by the government that the employment of a foreigner in this capacity would only increase the power for evil which the natives already attributed to this foreign innovation. The similarity in the phrases telegraph pole and dry heaven had inspired the common belief that the line of poles then stretching across the country was responsible for the long-existing drought. In one night several miles of poles were sawed short off, by the secret order of a banded conspiracy. After several decapitations, the poles were now being restored, and labeled with the words: 'Put up by order of the emperor.'"

After Church.

The concert at K. of P. Hall next Wednesday evening will begin after the church services are over. Come everybody and aid and encourage a good cause.

Half Fare to Chillicothe, O., Account of Races, October 1st to 5th, Inclusive.

Via Norfolk & Western R. R. Tickets on sale. October 1st to 5th, good to return until October 6th.

Trades and Labor Union Excursion.

The Trades and Labor union excursions Saturday and Sunday to Cincinnati via C. P. & V. for $1.50, good until Monday, will be hummers. Don't forget the date. 25.tf

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LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Gustav Levy, the French engraver, is dead.

Launt Thompson, the sculptor, died in the state hospital at Middletown, N. Y.

The corner-stone of a confederate monument will be laid at Little Rock, Ark., October 16.

The French warships Naide, Neuilly and Rigault de Genoully have arrived at New York from Quebec.

Akron, O., is overrun with incendiaries, three alarms of fire a day being the average for a week.

At Elizabethtown, N. J., Kings hotel was burned. Loss, $30,000. The guests escaped in their night clothing.

Charles Simms was instantly killed and his father, E. T. Simms, seriously injured in a runaway near Buffalo, W. Va.

Two miners and two laborers were killed in the northwest colliery of Simpson & Watkins, at Simpson, near Carbondale, Pa.

Juan Jaurez, a wealthy banker, of the City of Mexico, committed suicide by hanging himself from the street balcony of his house.

At Pittsburgh, in the trial of Pauline Bajerowski, charged with murdering Lawrezo Kichter, the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Col. Robert T. Van Horn, editor of the Kansas City Journal, was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Fifth Kansas district.

The twelve hundred employes of the Harris-Corliss works went back to work at Providence, R. I., after a strike of but twelve hours' duration.

The practice of hazing was formally abandoned at Princeton by unanimous consent of the students assembled in a mass meeting in Alexander hall.

The boarding house of Evan Kavan, at Miner's Mill, Pa., was broken into by four masked robbers. Kavan jumped out of bed, whereupon he was shot dead.

The rammers at the Tamarack mine, at Calumet, Mich, have gone out on a strike for the removal of a boss, who, they claim, does not treat them properly.

An old man named Stearns was killed by his sixteen-year-old son at their home, seven miles southeast of Fayetteville, Ark. Stearns was beating his wife.

At the annual meeting of the Armstrong-Mitchell Co., at Elswick, England. Lord Armstrong, the chairman, announced that he had succeeded in applying the quick-firing principle to field artillery.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 28.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.25@3.80; do fancy at $2.75@3.00; do family at $2.50@2.65. Winter patent quotable at $2.50@2.00; fancy at $2.25@2.40 and family at $2.05@2.15; extra at $1.85@1.95; low grades at $1.70@1.80.

WHEAT—Prices are without essential change. No. 2 red quotable at 51@51½c per bushel, on track.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, track, 55c; No. 2 white mixed, track, 56c; No 2 mixed, track, 55½c; No. 2 white, switched, 57½c.

OATS—The receipts are only moderate. No. 2 mixed are held at 31½c per bushel, on track.

RYE—Easier. Sales: No. 2 track, at 51½c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, $4.25@5.00, nominal; select butcher, $4.10@4.50; fair to good, $3.10@4.00; common to ordinary, $2.00@3.00. Heifers: Good to choice, $3.50@4.00; fair to medium, $2.50@3.25.

CALVES—Common and large, $2.00@4.75; fair to good light, $4.75@5.75; extra, $6.00.

HOGS—Select butchers, $5.50, none of the best on sale; packing, $5.15@5.50, most sales, $5.25@5.40; common and rough, $4.25@5.10; light, $5.25@5.35.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Though receipts are smaller the market rules quiet at hardly steady to a shade lower prices.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, per lb, 9@10c; quarter blood clothing, 12@13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13c; coarse, 13@14c; medium, combing, 13@14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 10@12c; medium clothing, 15@16c; delaine fleece, 15@16c; long combing, 15@16c; quarter blood and low, 15@16c; common coarse, 16@17c; tub-washed, choice, 19@20c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 28.

WHEAT—No. 2 red spot and September, 52½@52¾c; October, 52¾@52⅞c; December, 55@55¼c; May, 60½@60¾c; steamer No. 2 red, 49@49½c; milling wheat by sample, 53@53½c.

CORN—Mixed spot and September, 55½c bid; October, 55½c asked; year, 50½c asked; southern white, 62c; do yellow, 60c.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 34½@35c; No. 2 mixed do, 32½@33c.

RYE—No. 2, 53c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.

RYE—Western, 48@57c.

BARLEY—Market quiet. Western, 60@65c; No. 2, 70c; Milwaukee, 61@62c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red store and elevator, 54¾@55c; afloat, 55½@55¾c; f. o. b. 56½@56¾c; ungraded red, 50@56c; No. 1 northern, 62@62½c.

CORN—No. 2, 54c elevator; 54½@55½c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 33@33¼c; No. 2 white, 35@35½c; No. 2 Chicago, 32½@32¾c; No. 3, 31½c; No. 3 white, 34½@34½c; mixed western, 32½@33½c; white do, 35@39c; white state, 35@39c.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 28.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 50c.
CORN—No trading.
OATS—Nominal.
RYE—No. 2 cash, 48c; No. 3, do, 45c.
CLOVERSEED—Cash and October, $5.27½; November, $5.30; February, $5.42½; March, $5.40@5.47½.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 28.

CATTLE—Prime, $5.55@5.75; good, $4.70@5.25; good butchers, $4.00@4.25; rough fat, $2.50@3.00; fair light steers, $2.40@3.20; good fat cows and heifers, $2.60@3.20.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $5.80@6.00; best Yorkers and mixed, $5.60@5.70; common to fair Yorkers, $5.40@5.50; pigs, $5.00@5.25; sows, $4.50@5.00; stags and rough sows, $3.00@4.00.

SHEEP—Extra, $3.50@3.60; good, $2.80@3.10; fair, $2.00@2.30; common, 80c@$1.25; yearlings, $1.50@3.50; lambs, $2.25@4.00.

VEAL CALVES—$6.00@6.75; heavy and thin calves, $3.00@3.50.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 28.

CATTLE—Good light western steers $3.90@4.00; western cows and heifers $2.80@3.25; fresh cows firm at $2.00@2.00 for fair to extra, veals $5.00@7.35.

HOGS—Yorkers $5.60@5.80; pigs and light $5.25@5.40; good mixed $5.50@5.60; good mediums $5.00@5.10; pigs $5.00@5.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best native lambs $4.25@4.40; fair to good, $3.25@4.00; good mixed sheep, $2.50@3.25; export grades lower, best wethers $3.60@4.10; best heavy ewes $3.25@3.65.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. No. 2 spring wheat, 50½@52½c; No. 3 spring, nominal; No. 2 red, 50½@51½c. No. 2 corn, 45½@45½c; No. 3 yellow, 47½c; No. 2 oats, 27½c; No. 2 white, 30½@31½c; No. 3 white, 29½@30c; No. 2 rye, 47c; No. 2 barley, 59½@63½c; No. 3, 56@58c; No. 4, 50@52c.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 28.

CATTLE—Good to choice, $4.75@5.50, medium to good, $3.50@4.50, common, $1.25@3.25.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, $5.50@5.75; mixed and heavy, $5.25@5.60, good to choice light weights, $5.30@5.45.

SHEEP—Choice to extra lambs, $3.50@3.75; common to good lambs, $2.25@3.25; good to choice sheep, $2.75@3.00.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A. Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

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Other qualities at $1.25 Yd
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Navy Blue and Jet Black.
Specials at 44c Yd
50c Yd
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Sixteen Colors.
Specials at 50c Yd
65c Yd
Other qualities at 75c Yd
40c, 60c and 90c. 85c Yd

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Melrose at - - $1.00 Yd
Soliel at - - $1.25 Yd
Gros des Londers at $1.25 Yd
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At $1.00 Yd
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38-Inch—21 Styles at 47c Yd
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Pattern lengths.
No two alike.

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23-Inch Black Armure, $1.25
21-Inch Black Peau deSoie, $1.00
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23-Inch Black Peau deSoie, $1.50
21-In. Blk Gros des Londres, $1.00
22-In. Blk Gros des Londres, $1.25
21-Inch Black Faille, 75
22-Inch Black Faille, $1.00
23-Inch Black Faille, $1.25
24-Inch Black Faille, $1.75
21-Inch Black Bengaline, $1.25
22-Inch Black Satin, .80
24-Inch Black Satin, $1.00
22-Inch Blk Sat. Rhademe, $1.25
22-Inch Blk Sat. Duchesse, $1.00
23-Inch Blk Sat. Duchesse, $1.25
21-Inch Black Moire, $1.00
22 Inch Black Moire, $1.25
23-Inch Blk Brocade Moire, $1.50
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Cream Damask, 25c, 35c, 4[illegible] and 50c yd.
Bleached Damask, 50[illegible] and $1.00 yd.
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ALBERT KNITTEL

Died at His Home at 9 O'clock This Morning.

The Well Known and Respected Baker and Confectioner—A Valuable Citizen and Good Neighbor Gone—A Brief Sketch.

Albert G. Knittel, the well-known baker and confectioner, died at his residence on West Second street this morning at twenty minutes past 9 o'clock, his death being caused by a complication of asthma and dropsy of the heart.

Mr. Knittel's death was not unexpected, but was none the less a severe shock to his many friends in the city by whom he was held in the highest esteem, and the expressions of sorrow were many and sincere.

Mr. Knittel has been ill since his return from a European trip six weeks ago today, and for the past two weeks critically so. Occasional rallies would lead his friends to hope for his ultimate recovery, but the hope proved a futile one, and he gradually grew weaker, until death came this morning, a welcome relief from his sufferings.

Albert George Knittel was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, July 8, 1836. When he was 15 years of age he came to America, locating in Cincinnati, where he remained some years. About 1860 he moved to Lexington, Ky., remaining there a short time and then coming back to Cincinnati. In 1862 he removed to this city, and in company with another gentleman opened a saloon on Jefferson street. Not liking the business Mr. Knittel sold out to his partner in a few months and after working on the B. & O. railroad a short time embarked in the bakery business at the corner of Fourth and Court streets. He was very successful in this and after a few years moved to a more suitable location on West Second street, where the business is at present. Mr. Knittel was very successful in the bakery and confectionary business, and amassed a considerable fortune.

He was united in marriage shortly after his removal to this city, in 1862, to Miss Josephine Sutter, who with five children survives him—Edward, Mrs. Frank Graf, Albert, Mamie and Katie. A sister, Mrs. Pauline Koch, of Cincinnati, was with him during his glory and [illegible]. He has also quite a number of relatives in the old country, and

INSTEAD of [illegible] that in the early [illegible] risen since the Wilson-Mc[illegible] Knittel made a [illegible] is from 2 to 4 cents [illegible] Germany to the home [illegible] lowest point in McKi[illegible] spent several weeks [illegible] in various sections of [illegible]. He returned just six [illegible] to today and was almost immediately stricken down with the disease which caused his death.

GIVE your wo[illegible] to keep our [illegible] own frien[illegible]

Mr. Knittel was a member of the St. Mary's Catholic church, and belonged to the St. Peter's Benevolent society of that church, besides several other church organizations. He always took an active part in church work.

The funeral will be held at the St. Mary's church next Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

THE WORK OF A VILLIAN.

I. N. Johnson's Barn and Contents at Johnson's Station Burned Last Night—Loss of $2,500.

I. N. Johnson, of Johnson's station on the N. & W. Ry., was in the city this afternoon to report to the insurance agents the loss of his barn by fire last night. About 10 o'clock the barn was discovered to be on fire. The flames spread rapidly, and it was impossible to save any of the contents, a favorite family horse perishing along with the other property. Among other things burned were 40 tons of hay, 200 bushels of wheat, two tons of feed, two buggies, three wagons, harness and other fixtures. The total loss is about $2,500, with insurance of only $800. Mr. Johnson is satisfied that it was the work of incendiaries, but has no clue as to the identity of the villian.

The Hempstead Monday.

The Hempstead Academy of Medicine will hold its regular monthly meeting at the rooms Monday afternoon, the meeting beginning at 2 o'clock. The feature of the afternoon's program will be a paper by Dr. Cotton, descriptive of his trip west. Quite a number of Ironton M. D.'s are expected to be present.

Camp Meeting Closed.

Rev. Horace D. Jones closed his camp meeting at Droege's park Thursday evening. Jones says this was a bad year for camp meetings, and he does not expect to take a trip to Europe on the proceeds of the meeting.

Look at Nye's soap window.

PERSONAL.

Willie Maier went to Chillicothe today to remain a week.

Henry Yeager went to Cincinnati yesterday to be gone several days.

Martin Schwartz returned last evening from a few days' trip to Cincinnati.

Philip Hise and wife, of 123 East Ninth street, went to Cincinnati this morning to visit relatives.

Miss Grace Kelly, of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Pixley for a few days.

Secretary Sam Timmonds, of the Street Railroad company, returned today from a business trip to Cleveland.

Miss Mattie Peebles is spending a few days with the family of her uncle, Richard Peebles, in their pleasant home at Henley.

Miss Maude Songer, of Ironton, arrived in the city this afternoon to remain for the Rothwell-Dinsmore wedding next Tuesday evening.

Levi D. York, wife and daughter, Miss Laura, were passengers on the C., P. & V. last night returning from a few days' trip to Cincinnati.

James Cahill, of Chillicothe, will arrive here tomorrow to spend a few days and attend the Rothwell-Dinsmore wedding Tuesday evening.

Mrs. John P. Caskey, of John street, returned last night from a pleasant visit of several days with relatives in Adams county. Last Wednesday, in company with her husband, she attended the large celebration of the "golden wedding" of an uncle and aunt of Mr. Caskey, who live on a beautiful farm near North Liberty, Adams county. Mr. Caskey arrived home Thursday evening.

PLENTY OF EXPERIENCE.

Three Young Men Make Their Bow in Sporting Circles and Then Register in Mayor's Court.

The calm and quiet of Sally M. Candel's sporting establishment, on Eleventh street, was ruthlessly disturbed by the police last night, and all the life about the place was transferred to the city prison. There were present besides the landlady three girls, Frances Dalton, Ida Cooper and Jennie Furguson, and three gentleman visitors, William Lewis, Hiram Campbell and James Jones. A complaint against the house was made to Policeman McFarland, who reported to Marshal Schmitt, and the two called shortly before midnight. There was wailing and gnashing of teeth, but the merry crowd found the midnight call at the mayor's office inevitable. The young men said that it was their first appearance in sporting circles, and their personal appearance and verdant actions sustained the claim. They were green, awfully green. One of them, a traveling agent for the Washington C. H. wheel works, had cash and paid the men out, $4.80 each, His Honor, Mayor Hall, holding a midnight session of court.

The girls remained "in" over night, and the landlady arranged for payment of their fines, $4.80 each, and her own, $13.80, and they were discharged this morning.

DON'T LIKE INSURANCE MEN.

A Pike County Man Says They're No Good and He's Had Experience.

Noah Lyons, a prominent farmer living near California, Pike county, was in the city this morning, closing a contract with J. W. Dodge & Co. for a large quantity of paint. Mr. Lyons was recently burned out and is having several new buildings constructed. The old gentleman has no use for insurance men as he says his property was heavily insured, but for some reason or other the agents refused to pay only about half the insurance.

Water Works Coal.

The water works people are now burning Thacker coal which is supplied them by J. M. Stockham. The latter's contract called for Peerless, but as the water in the Kanawha is too low to allow shipment of Peerless coal, the Thacker is being supplied.

Trades and Labor Excursion.

The excursion of the C. P. & V. to Cincinnati this morning was well patronized, sixty-one going down. The rate will be good on all trains today and on special tomorrow. If you are going to Cincinnati you should patronize the Trades and Labor assembly people.

Greatest combination lunch ever produced at Franck's tonight, West Second street.

The special, Sunday, to Cincinnati, via the C. P. & V., leaves Portsmouth at 6:30 a. m., standard time, and returning leaves Cincinnati at 6:30 p. m. standard time. Don't forget it. Only $1.50.

WITH THE JURY

Rests the Fate of Benj. Adams on the Charge of Murder.

The Trial Finished This Evening—The Arguments Occupying the Entire Day—Some Big Real Estate Deals and Other Notes.

Probably as time a murder trial as is on record has just closed in common pleas court here. The crime for which Benjamin Adams has been on trial possessed no very thrilling or exciting features, no plot, nor aggravating nor extraordinary situations. There has been a small crowd of spectators in attendance during the trial and a somewhat larger crowd during the argument of counsel today. The examination of witnesses was concluded yesterday, and Prosecuting Attorney Milner made his argument to the jury, closing with a short statement upon the convening of court this morning. A. C. Woodrow followed for the defense, talking until 11 o'clock, when Hon. Theo. K. Funk took up the side of the defense and made his argument, concluding after dinner. Mr. Milner closed for the state. At the time of going to press the court was finishing his charge, and the case is now with the jury.

BOUND OVER FOR BURGLARY.

Henry Ramer, of Bloom township, has been committed to the county jail to await a hearing in probate court on the charge of burglary. He is recognized from 'Squire N. L. Searl's court under bond of $300. The charge was filed by James Morrison, whose residence, it is charged, Ramer burglariously entered August 20th last.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Union Township—D. W. Gustin, sheriff, to Harriet Brand, 213 acres, $3,000.

Fifth Ward, Portsmouth—Carl and Lizzie Hageman to W. L. Wood, lot 73, P. B. & S. addition, $1,075.

Nile Township—Willis M. Burge to John Connor, 141.25 acres, $3,500.

John Connor to J. R. Huls, 40 acres, $1,000.

Third Ward, Portsmouth—Jefferson L. Watkins to Albert C. Thompson, lot 128, $630.

Aaron Noel and wife to Jef. L. Watkins, lot 128, $1, etc.

First Ward, Portsmouth—Caroline Gilbert to Albert A. Branch, lot 453, $500.

Sixth Ward, Portsmouth—Wm. Ripley to Rachel Fout, lot 183, P. Kinney addition, $325.

Bloom Township—Wm. Jackson to trustees F. B. church, 1-12 acre, $10.

Clay Township—Wm. F. Lawson to S. J. Haney, lot 61, Lawson addition, $160.

IN PROBATE COURT.

Probate Judge Osborn heard motions in the Citizens' Savings bank case and also in the matter of the estate of D. S. Connel this morning, but has deferred action until October 6th.

Cynthia S. Gibson, administratrix, vs. Eliza P. Steagall et al.: answer of Joseph S. Steagall filed.

MORTGAGES CANCELLED.

Barbar Koblenz to East End Building and Loan company, $1,200.

RELIEF FOR SOLDIERS AND WIDOWS.

The county soldiers' relief commission met this morning and allowed the following:

Two Dollars Per Month for Three Months—Anna Brooker, Helen J. Adams, Rosanna Gross, Mary E. Barker, Richard Stapleton, Jane E. Johnson, Harriet Fisher, John F. Dakin and J. W. Truman.

Two Dollars Per Month for Two Months—Sarah Mackey.

Still Another Polly.

Another Polly has had business in mayor's court, but this time as a complainant and not as defendant. Chas. Polly had Ollie Redmond arrested on the charge of assault and battery. Ollie pleaded guilty and was fined $4 and costs.

Called Home.

Misses Nellie, Ollie and Myrtle Stockham, who live at 814 Gay street, were called home to California, Pike county this morning, by the serious illness of their father, Henry C. Stockham.

The First Cranberries.

The first cranberries of the season were put on the market today by Charles Turner. They are very fine, and were selling at 15c a quart. The cranberry crop is reported to be short this season.

Lecture Course.

Tickets for the K. of P. lecture course are for sale at all drug stores and from members of the order.

THE CHURCHES.

The Services in the Various Houses of Worship.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

Corner Eighth and Waller streets. Rev. S. Gobiet will observe Rally day tomorrow with program prepared. A rally session of the Sunday school at 9 a. m. to which all old and new scholars are especially invited. Service at 11 a. m. with short sermon for children. A special rally meeting in the evening in which all the societies of the church will be represented. Every member of the church is especially invited and everybody welcome.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL.

Corner Third and Boad streets. Rev. Alfred R. Taylor, rector. Services Sunday: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon 7:30 p. m.; morning sermon, "Zacchaus the Publican;" evening, "Forgiven Sins." All are cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Southwest corner of Third and Court streets, Rev. D. S. Tappan D. D. pastor. Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Suffering Perfecting the Savior;" evening, "Lost Through Disuse." Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is given to everybody to attend all these services.

Y. M. C. A.

Men's meeting at the association rooms, West Second street, at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow. B. F. Richardson will address the meeting on the subject, "Right Now."

A NEW ENTERPRISE.

Rev. Horace Jones is Going Into the Manufacturing Business.

Rev. Horace D. Jones is contemplating embarking in the manufacturing business. The Reverend Horace is considerable a genius and holds patents on various useful little household articles, such as broom-holders, boot-jacks, etc., etc., and will have a quantity of them manufactured, preparatory to starting out on the road with them. He has not yet secured a building suitable for his purpose, but is considering the advisability of having the Droege park pavilion transformed into a work-shop.

Jacob Hoerr to Move.

Jacob Hoerr, who has been in the grocery business at the corner of Seventh and Chillicothe streets for some years past, will move his store to the room in the Lloyd property, next door to Anderson Bro.'s shoe store the first of next week. The present building occupied by Mr. Hoerr will be repaired and modern windows put in before renting.

They Are Coming.

We call special attention to the advertisement, in today's issue, of the coming to the Grand opera house, next Friday, October 5th, of the famous Jack Extravaganza Company, the bull-fighter.

The N. & W. Pay Car.

The N. & W. pay car, which has been in the shops here for some time past being overhauled and repainted, was taken to Columbus this morning and will start out on a paying trip Monday.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. Wm. Bierly, of East Fourth street, was pleasantly surprised last evening by a number of her friends, it being her 36th birthday. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Will Close Monday.

The Sample Shoe Co.'s store will be closed Monday, October 1st, until 6 p. m., that being the Jewish New-year and a holiday.

With Sanford, Varner & Co.

Adolph Antie, of Covington, Ky., has accepted a position with Sanford, Varner & Co. as cutter. Antie was formerly in business in Covington.

Take advantage of the C., P. & V. excursion tomorrow and see the Cincinnati-Cleveland ball game. Train leaves Portsmouth at 6:30 a. m. Returning, leaves Cincinnati at 6:30 p. m. This train will run through without making any stops. Only $1.50 for round trip. Tickets good returning Monday.

A. M. Bailey, a well known citizen of Eugene, Oregon, says his wife has for years been troubled with chronic diarrhea and used many remedies with little relief until she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhœa Remedy, which has cured her sound and well. Give it a trial and you will be suprised at the prompt relief it affords. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Look at Nye's soap window.

"OPPORTUNITIES."

Something of Interest to Young Men Inclined Toward Improvement.

Friday a Record Breaker in Point of Attendance at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms—219 Visitors to the Rooms—The "Gym" Opening—Mysterious Reception—Men's Meeting, Etc.

The increase in the interest taken in the work of the Y. M. C. A. is evidenced by the fact that Friday was the biggest day in point of attendance at the rooms since the association was organized. This excepts, of course, receptions, entertainments, etc., but there was nothing special as an attraction. In the regular routine of affairs 219 people visited the rooms yesterday, enjoying the privileges of the excellent public reading room, the bath, gymnasium, parlors, games, etc.

"Opportunities" is the title of a neat twelve page pamphlet in two colors just issued from the TIMES job rooms. It is a prospectus and catalogue of the opportunities for improvement of young men in every respect presented by the privileges of the Young Men's Christian Association. It presents particularly the association's evening educational course which has been given in detail before in the TIMES. This motto is the preface to the prospectus, "Education is capital to a poor man, and interest to a rich man." It gives in a nut shell all the information desired concerning the various classes in the different courses, viz.: Business, industrial and scientific, musical, literary, and practical health talks. The instructors, particular work of each class, and all other information is given in this neat pamphlet as well as some facts of interest about the association in a general way.

The gymnasium work of the association for the coming year will commence with the junior class next Tuesday evening. The uniform recently adopted for the gymnasium classes is meeting with general favor, and most of the boys will wear them while in gym work. It is not compulsory but there is a general sentiment in favor of wearing the neat uniform.

An excellent program has been arranged for the reception Monday evening. It is, however, as mysterious as all the other appointments for that affair.

B. F. Richareson will address the men's meeting tomorrow afternoon with the subject, "Right Now."

He Could Prove It.

Fosdick—I have discovered a perpetual motion machine.

Keedick—Nonsense.

Fosdick—It's a fact. Come home with me, and I'll show you the gas meter in operation.—Truth.

She Was Even with Him.

He (slightly rude)—I called because I thought you were out.

She (sweetly)—Well, do you know, I thought I was out, too. The maid must have thought you were someone else.—Answers.

A Sweet Consoler.

Edith—If Jack Barlow were to propose to me, I wouldn't know whether to say "Yes" or "No."

Maud—Well, don't worry, dear. I accepted him last night.—Life.

To Get Rid of Fleas.

Little Ethel—Papa says my doggie has fleas. What shall I do?

Little Johnny—Whenever visitors call, take him to them to pet.—Good News.

Those Dear Girls.

First Fairy—I want a husband who is easily pleased.

Second Ditto—Don't worry, dear; that's the kind you'll get.—Brooklyn Life.

Wednesday Evening.

The Ariel Sextette will give a musical entertainment at the K. of P. hall, corner of Fourth and Court streets. Admission 50 cents.

The excursions Saturday and Sunday given by the Trades and Labor union to Cincinnati via C. P. & V., for $1.50, will be the best of the season. Don't forget them.

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For putting a horse in a fine healthy condition try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

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